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BY E-MAIL AND BY HAND

Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary Department of Telecommunications and Energy 1 South Station, 2nd Floor Boston, MA 02110

Re: Western Massachusetts Electric Company - DTE 04-106

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

Enclosed for filing please find an original and five copies of the Petition of Western Massachusetts Industrial Customers Group for Leave to Intervene as a Full Participant.

Please acknowledge receipt on a copy of the enclosed letter and return it to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Andrew J. Newman

AJN/lms Enclosure

cc: Stephen Klionsky, Esq. (By Hand)

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